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# **GRAIN STOCKS - SEPTEMBER 1, 2015**

### **ARIZONA**

Off-farm **all wheat** stocks in Arizona on September 1, 2015 were 6.94 million bushels, up 90 percent from September 1, 2014, according to the Mountain Regional Field Office of the National Agricultural Statistics Service, USDA. Other Arizona grain stocks were not published separately to avoid disclosing data for individual operations.

## **COLORADO**

All **corn** stocks in Colorado on September 1, 2015 were 11.15 million bushels, up 10 percent from September 1, 2014, according to the Mountain Regional Field Office of the National Agricultural Statistics Service, USDA. All corn stocks stored on farms amounted to 3.50 million bushels, down 36 percent from a year ago. All corn stored off farms amounted to 7.65 million bushels, up 64 percent from a year ago. Off-farm **sorghum** stocks were 36,000 bushels, down 89 percent from September 1, 2014. Off-farm **oat** stocks in Colorado were estimated at 98,000 bushels, up 34 percent from last year. Off-farm **barley** stocks totaled 4.00 million bushels, down 16 percent from last year.

All wheat stocks in Colorado on September 1, 2015 were 76.96 million bushels, up 27 percent from September 1, 2014. All wheat stocks stored on farms amounted to 28.00 million bushels, up 40 percent from a year ago. All wheat stored off farms amounted to 48.96 million bushels, up 20 percent from a year ago. Other Colorado grain stocks were not published separately to avoid disclosing data for individual operations.

### **MONTANA**

Off-farm **corn** stocks in Montana on September 1, 2015 were 36,000 bushels, down 25 percent from September 1, 2014, according to the Mountain Regional Field Office of the National Agricultural Statistics Service, USDA. All **oat** stocks in Montana were estimated at 1.12 million bushels, down 4 percent from last year. On-farm oat stocks were 1.10 million bushels, unchanged from a year ago. Oats stored off-farm were down 66 percent from last year to 24,000 bushels. Montana **barley** stocks in all positions on September 1, 2015 were 45.53 million bushels, up 7 percent from a year ago. Barley stored on farms totaled 32.50 million bushels, up 8 percent from last year. Off-farm barley stocks were up 3 percent from a year ago to 13.03 million bushels.

**All wheat** stocks in Montana on September 1, 2015 were 187.93 million bushels, up 4 percent from September 1, 2014. All wheat stocks stored on farms amounted to 154.00 million bushels, up 2 percent from a year ago. All wheat stored off farms amounted to 33.93 million bushels, up 13 percent from a year ago. **Durum wheat** stocks on September 1, 2015 were 16.10 million bushels, up 20 percent from a year ago. Durum wheat stocks stored on farms amounted to 14.00 million bushels, up 22 percent from a year ago. Durum wheat stored off farms amounted to 2.10 million bushels, up 9 percent from a year ago. Other Montana grain stocks were not published separately to avoid disclosing data for individual operations.

#### **NEW MEXICO**

New Mexico grain stocks were not published separately to avoid disclosing data for individual operations.

#### **UTAH**

Off-farm **barley** stocks in Utah on September 1, 2015 were 400,000 bushels, up 49 percent from September 1, 2014, according to the Mountain Regional Field Office of the National Agricultural Statistics Service, USDA. Off-farm **all wheat** stocks in Utah on September

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1, 2015 were 6.42 million bushels, up 25 percent from last year. Other Utah grain stocks were not published separately to avoid disclosing data for individual operations.

### **WYOMING**

Off-farm **barley** stocks totaled 5.46 million bushels, up 22 percent from September 1, 2014, according to the Mountain Regional Field Office of the National Agricultural Statistics Service, USDA. Other Wyoming grain stocks were not published separately to avoid disclosing data for individual operations.

#### **UNITED STATES**

**Old crop corn** stocks in all positions on September 1, 2015 totaled 1.73 billion bushels, up 41 percent from September 1, 2014. Of the total stocks, 593 million bushels are stored on farms, up 28 percent from a year earlier. Off-farm stocks, at 1.14 billion bushels, are up 48 percent from a year ago. The June - August 2015 indicated disappearance is 2.72 billion bushels, compared with 2.62 billion bushels during the same period last year.

**Old crop grain sorghum** stored in all positions on September 1, 2015 totaled 18.4 million bushels, down 46 percent from a year ago. On-farm stocks, at 1.90 million bushels, are down 3 percent from last year. Off-farm stocks, at 16.5 million bushels, are down 49 percent from September 1, 2014. The June - August 2015 indicated disappearance from all positions is 15.9 million bushels, down 73 percent from the same period a year ago.

**Oats** stored in all positions on September 1, 2015 totaled 93.3 million bushels, 26 percent above the stocks on September 1, 2014. Of the total stocks on hand, 47.2 million bushels are stored on farms, 14 percent higher than a year ago. Off-farm stocks totaled 46.1 million bushels, 40 percent above the previous year. Indicated disappearance during June - August 2015 totaled 50.0 million bushels, compared with 20.7 million bushels during the same period a year ago.

**Barley** stocks in all positions on September 1, 2015 totaled 219 million bushels, up 22 percent from September 1, 2014. On-farm stocks are estimated at 136 million bushels, 39 percent above a year ago. Off-farm stocks, at 82.9 million bushels, are 1 percent above September 2014. The June - August 2015 indicated disappearance is 74.4 million bushels, 11 percent below the same period a year earlier.

**All wheat** stored in all positions on September 1, 2015 totaled 2.09 billion bushels, up 10 percent from a year ago. On-farm stocks are estimated at 647 million bushels, down 9 percent from last September. Off-farm stocks, at 1.44 billion bushels, are up 21 percent from a year ago. The June - August 2015 indicated disappearance is 716 million bushels, up 1 percent from the same period a year earlier.

**Durum wheat** stocks in all positions on September 1, 2015 totaled 73.8 million bushels, up 28 percent from a year ago. On-farm stocks, at 44.4 million bushels, are up 15 percent from September 1, 2014. Off-farm stocks totaled 29.4 million bushels, up 54 percent from a year ago. The June - August 2015 indicated disappearance of 34.3 million bushels is up 93 percent from the same period a year earlier.

**Old crop soybeans** stored in all positions on September 1, 2015 totaled 191 million bushels, up 108 percent from September 1, 2014. Soybean stocks stored on farms totaled 49.7 million bushels, up 133 percent from a year ago. Off-farm stocks, at 142 million bushels, are up 101 percent from last September. Indicated disappearance for June - August 2015 totaled 436 million bushels, up 39 percent from the same period a year earlier.

**Old crop sunflower** stocks in all positions on September 1, 2015 totaled 238 million pounds, up 19 percent from a year ago. All stocks stored on farms totaled 44.1 million pounds and off-farm stocks totaled 194 million pounds. Stocks of oil type sunflower seed are 79.2 million pounds; of this total, 33.4 million pounds are on-farm stocks and 45.8 million pounds are off-farm stocks. Non-oil sunflower stocks totaled 158 million pounds, with 10.7 million pounds stored on the farm and 148 million pounds stored off the farm.

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